

UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No.: 50T5387.01  
First Inventor: William G. Bennett  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING AUDIO FROM VARIOUS SOURCES  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

APPLICATION ELEMENTS  
(see MPEP chapter 600 concerning  
utility patent application contents)

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form in duplicate  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status  
See 37 CFR 1.27
3. ☒ Specification Total Pages   
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
-Descriptive title of the invention  
-Cross Reference to Related Applications  
-Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D  
-Reference to sequence listing, a table,  
-Background of the Invention  
-Brief Summary of the Invention  
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
-Detailed Description  
-Claim(s)  
-Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) Total Sheets
5. Oath or Declaration
  - a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/ divisional with Box 18 completed)
    - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence (if applicable, all necessary)
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CFR)
  - b. ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-4 (2 copies);
    - ii. ☐ or paper
  - c. ☐ Statements verifying identify of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) ☒ Power of Attorney Statement (when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ IDS ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document
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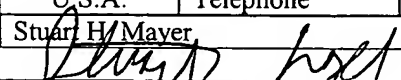
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Prior Appl. information: Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_ Group/Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

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2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:

☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001           | 770             | 2001           | 385             | Utility filing fee     | 770      |
| 1002           | 340             | 2002           | 170             | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1003           | 530             | 2003           | 265             | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1004           | 770             | 2004           | 385             | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005           | 160             | 2005           | 80              | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 770)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Previously Paid\*\* = 20  
Total Claims = 27  
Independent Claims = 3  
Extra Claims = 7  
Fee from below = 18  
Fee Paid = 126

Multiple Dependent

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description                                           |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| 1202           | 18              | 2202           | 9               | Claims in excess of 20                                    |
| 1201           | 86              | 2201           | 43              | Independent claims in excess of 3                         |
| 1203           | 280             | 2203           | 145             | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                     |
| 1204           | 86              | 2204           | 43              | * Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205           | 18              | 2205           | 9               | * Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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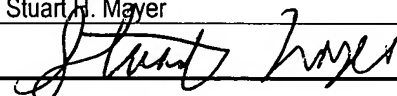
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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description                                                            |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1051                  | 130                   | 2051                  | 65                    | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath                                        |
| 1052                  | 50                    | 2052                  | 25                    | Surcharge - late Provisional filing                                        |
| 1053                  | 130                   | 1053                  | 130                   | Non-English specification                                                  |
| 147                   | 2520                  | 147                   | 2520                  | For filing a request for ex parte Reexamination                            |
| 1804                  | 920*                  | 1804                  | 920*                  | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |
| 1805                  | 1840*                 | 1805                  | 1840*                 | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |
| 1251                  | 110                   | 2251                  | 55                    | Extension for reply within first month                                     |
| 1252                  | 420                   | 2252                  | 210                   | Extension for reply within second month                                    |
| 1253                  | 950                   | 2253                  | 475                   | Extension for reply within third month                                     |
| 1254                  | 1480                  | 2254                  | 740                   | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |
| 1255                  | 2010                  | 2255                  | 1005                  | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |
| 1401                  | 330                   | 2401                  | 165                   | Notice of Appeal                                                           |
| 1402                  | 330                   | 2402                  | 165                   | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |
| 1403                  | 290                   | 2403                  | 145                   | Request for oral hearing                                                   |
| 1451                  | 1510                  | 1451                  | 1510                  | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |
| 1452                  | 1330                  | 2452                  | 665                   | Petition to revive - unavoidable                                           |
| 1453                  | 1330                  | 2453                  | 665                   | Petition to revive - unintentional                                         |
| 1501                  | 1330                  | 2501                  | 665                   | Utility issue fee (or reissue)                                             |
| 1502                  | 480                   | 2502                  | 240                   | Design issue fee                                                           |
| 1503                  | 640                   | 2503                  | 320                   | Plant issue fee                                                            |
| 1460                  | 130                   | 1460                  | 130                   | Petitions to the Commissioner                                              |
| 1807                  | 50                    | 1807                  | 50                    | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)                                        |
| 1806                  | 180                   | 1806                  | 180                   | Submission of IDS                                                          |
| 8021                  | 40                    | 8021                  | 40                    | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |
| 1809                  | 770                   | 2809                  | 385                   | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |
| 1810                  | 770                   | 2810                  | 385                   | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |
| 1801                  | 770                   | 2801                  | 385                   | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |
| 1802                  | 900                   | 1802                  | 900                   | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |

Other fee (specify)

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 40)

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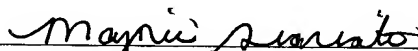
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